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First Named Inventor David T. Ross  
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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| Utility          | 300         | 150                   | 500         | 250                   | 200              | 100                   |                |
| Design           | 200         | 100                   | 100         | 50                    | 130              | 65                    |                |
| Plant            | 200         | 100                   | 300         | 150                   | 160              | 80                    |                |
| Reissue          | 300         | 150                   | 500         | 250                   | 600              | 300                   |                |
| Provisional      | 200         | 100                   | 0           | 0                     | 0                | 0                     |                |

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| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)                    | 200                   | 100             |
| Multiple dependent claims                                             | 360                   | 180             |
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| <b>Indep. Claims</b>                                                  | <b>Extra Claims</b>   | <b>Fee (\$)</b> |
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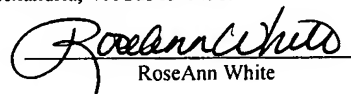
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**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 8 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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